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As you review this proposal, I urge you to consider the full range of impacts in the scope of the Environmental Impact Statement from a coal export terminal at Longview, WA. These impacts are far-reaching for the 1,300 - 1,400 miles between mines in the Powder River Basin of Montana and Wyoming to Longview.

MBT would negatively affect my community by increasing congestion and noise with more coal train traffic, polluting our air and local waterways, harming existing businesses, and delaying emergency responders. It would also damage aquatic ecosystems and fishing areas on the Columbia River, harm human health, increase tanker traffic and the potential for shipping accidents and spills, expand strip-mining in Wyoming and Montana, and escalate climate change.